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U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/466,925

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Dear Examiner Ha:

We are enclosing a copy of the After-Final Amendment, for the above-identified patent application, filed on July 21, 2004.

Thank you in advance for your consideration on this case.

Very truly yours,

James F Howard

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